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METHOD FOR CHECKING THE EXISTENCE OF

AN OPTICAL DISK USING A FOCUSING SIGNAL

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated August 27, 2004, the time for filing a reply being extended for three months, the following remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.